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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
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CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 C.F.R. 1.5)

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06 January 2003 (06.01.03)

TITLE OF INVENTION: FUSED HETEROCYCLIC DERIVATIVES AS PPAR MODULATORS



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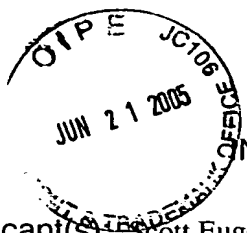
Applicant herewith submits to the U.S. Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☐ This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4. ☒ A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. ☐ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☒ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☐ A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
7. ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))
 - a. ☐ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. ☒ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. ☐ A declaration of the inventors: 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4) was provided in the PCT Request Form.
11. ☐ A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (IPER), including any annexes, and, if not in English, an English language translation of the annexes to the IPER under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 12. to 18. below concern document(s) or information included:

12. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
13. ☒ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
14. ☐ Assignment has been recorded at reel _____, frame _____.
15. ☒ A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
- ☐ A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.
16. ☐ A Sequence Listing, 1.821 Statement, and diskette.
17. ☒ A change of power of attorney with attachments.
18. ☒ Other items or information:
Please amend the first page of the specification by inserting the following cross-reference after the title:
"This is the national phase application, under 35 USC 371, for PCT/US2003/039120, filed 31 December 2003 which, claims the benefit, under 35 USC 119(e), of US provisional application **60/438,540**, filed **06 January 2003**, **60/438,541**, filed **06 January 2003**."

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19. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted: Basic National Stage Fee = \$ 300.00 National Stage Search Fee = \$ 500.00 National Stage Examination Fee = \$ 200.00 TOTAL NATIONAL STAGE FEES \$1,000.00 (a) Application Length Fee Total Length (excluding sequence listings) 285 - 100 = 185 excess pages (b) No extra charge for first 100 pages. Must pay \$250 for each adtl 50 pages (or fraction thereof). <div style="text-align: right;">ENTER APPROPRIATE AMOUNT (a + b) =</div>				CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY	
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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

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